





Joint Information Center - JIC Release No. 600 March 12, 2021, 6:15 p.m. (ChST)

Results: Nine of 367 Test Positive for COVID-19; COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for UOG, Homebound and Village-based; One GDOE Employee Tests Positive for COVID-19

**Results: Nine New Cases of COVID-19** 

Nine (9) new cases of COVID-19 were identified out of 367 tests performed on Thursday, March 11. Four (4) cases were identified through contact tracing.

To date, there have been a total of **7,767** officially reported cases of COVID-19 with **133** deaths, **31** cases in active isolation, and **7,603** not in active isolation.

# TODAY'S CAR SCORE<sup>1</sup>

0.2

The COVID Area Risk (CAR) Score accounts for the incidence of new cases, how well current testing identifies these cases, and the rate of spread. The ideal long-term goal is to sustain a CAR Score of 2.5 or less, which has been shown to correlate with very low to zero COVID-related hospitalizations and deaths.

The following tables provide COVID-19 test results reported to the JIC on Friday, March 12, and reflects results from Thursday, March 11:

COVID-19 CASE COUNT	TOTAL	NEW CASES REPORTED TODAY	PAST 7 DAYS
COVID-19 CASES:	7,767	9	19
CONFIRMED CASES:	7,557	9	18
PROBABLE CASES:	210	1	1

COVID-19 TESTING ON GUAM	TOTAL	NEW TESTS REPORTED TODAY	7-DAY % POSITIVE
DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	132,206	367	0.8%
MOLECULAR TESTS	122,511	315	0.8%
<b>ANTIGEN TEST</b>	9,695	52	0.7%
SEROLOGY TESTS	359	0	0%

CASE BREAKDOWN					
STATUS	-	S	EX	CURRENT ISOLATIO	LOCATION
COVID-19 Death	133	Female	3,257	Hospital	4
Active Isolation	31	Male	4,510	Home	16
Not In Isolation	7,603	AGE (	GROUP	Isolation Facility	5
Civilian	7,375	0-9	484	Military	6
Military Service Member	392	10-19	796	EPI-LINK TO COVID	D-19 CASE
Travel History	456	20-29	1,618	Household Contact	2,091
US	399	30-39	1,443	Community Contact	1,069

Dubai	2	40-49	1,431	Workplace Contact	1,325
Japan	6	50-59	1,125	Healthcare Contact	86
Mexico	3	60-69	600	RESIDE	ICE
Philippines	43	70-79	200	North	4,331
Other	3	80-89	58	Central	2,057
Identified in Quarantine	414	90+	12	South	961
				Homeless	4
				Non-resident	102

COVID HOSPITAL CENSUS	Guam Memorial Hospital	Guam Regional Medical City	U.S. Naval Hospital	TOTAL
COVID ADMISSION	4	0	0	4
IN ICU	0	0	0	0
ON VENTILATOR	0	0	0	0

The following provides preliminary COVID-19 vaccinations reported to the JIC on Friday, March 12, for vaccinations administered from December 17 to March 11:

Vaccine Maker	1st Doses Administered	2nd Doses Administered	Total Doses Administered	Individuals Fully Immunized
Pfizer-BioNTech	17,242	14,312*	31,554	14,312
Moderna	15,942**	12,644***	28,586	12,644
Johnson & Johnson Janssen	-	-	0	0
TOTALS:	33,184	26,956	60,140^	26,956

<sup>\*</sup>Administering second doses of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 4, 2021.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Administering second doses of Moderna COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 29, 2021.

Total Doses Administered	Total Doses Allotted	% Administered	Doses Remaining
60,140^	87,860^^	68.45%	27,720

<sup>^</sup>As of March 11, 2021. Total doses administered and allotted doses differ as vaccinators were able to draw additional doses per vial. Additionally, the <u>U.S. Food and Drug Administration's February 25, 2021 revision</u> of their Fact Sheet relative to the Pfizer-BioNTech Emergency Use Authorization now states "After dilution, one vial contains 6 doses of 0.3 mL. Vial labels and cartons may state that after dilution, a vial contains 5 doses of 0.3 mL. The information in this <u>Fact Sheet</u> regarding the number of doses per vial after dilution supersedes the number of doses stated on vial labels and cartons." | ^^Reflects the previous allocation total of 86,560 and last received allocation of 1,300 Johnson & Johnson Janssen vaccines on March 8, 2021.

## **COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for March 16 – 20 at UOG Fieldhouse**

COVID-19 vaccination clinics resume on Tuesday, March 16 through Saturday, March 20, from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. These clinics will administer first doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine, and second doses of both the Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine. The Johnson & Johnson vaccine is not available at the UOG vaccination clinic at this time. Eligible residents are advised to schedule an appointment online via Eventbrite at the link provided above or click <a href="here">here</a>. Eligibility is subject to change.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Administering first doses of Moderna COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 8, 2021.

If scheduling an appointment is not possible, walk-ins will be accepted at a limited rate of 15 per hour. Walk-ins wishing to avoid longer wait times are discouraged from lining up prior to the 10 a.m. opening and are asked to expect reasonable delays.

Upon arrival, individuals 70 years and older will be sent to the front of the line. Please bring a digital or hard copy appointment confirmation, a photo ID, and proof of Guam residency (Guam Driver's License, Guam ID, Green Card, US or FSM Passport, H1B or H2B visas for skilled workers). Those due for their second dose are reminded to bring their COVID-19 immunization card. This ensures quicker processing and proper documentation.

According to the <u>U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)</u>, those due for their second dose of the vaccine may get their second dose up to four (4) days early. The CDC further states that if it is not feasible to adhere to the recommended interval and a delay in vaccination is unavoidable, the second dose of Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines may be administered up to 6 weeks (42 days) after the first dose.

UNIVERSITY OF GUAM COVID-19 VACCINATION SCHEDULE							
DATE	TIME	VACCINE MAKE	LOCATION				
Tuesday, Mar. 16							
Wednesday, Mar. 17	40	Pfizer-BioNTech	UOG Fieldhouse, Mangilao				
Thursday, Mar. 18	10 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	(Dose 1)	Register: tinyurl.com/vaccinateguam				
Friday, Mar. 19		Pfizer-BioNTech & Moderna	Walk-ins limited to 15 per				
Saturday, Mar. 20		(Dose 2)	hour				

PHASE 1a/1b/1c – CATEGORY: Healthcare workers; local and federal law enforcement personnel; School-based employees and Childcare Center employees; adults 50 years and older (effective March 15, 2021); Mayors' Council of Guam (limited to mayors, vice mayors, and mayoral staff); funeral homes, mortuary, and cemetery staff; service providers contracted with the DPHSS Division of Senior Citizens providing direct patient or client care such as transportation for medical appointments, homebound meals, in-home services, caregiver services, case management, shelter care, adult daycare, and other direct services; and others who are due for dose two of the vaccine. Eligibility is subject to change. Upon arrival, individuals 70 years and older will be sent to the front of the line.

## **Homebound Vaccinations Continue March 15-18**

DPHSS, in partnership with MCOG, continues homebound vaccinations for those pre-registered with their village mayor and meet eligibility criteria. Homebound vaccinations are scheduled from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the villages and locations listed below:

COVID-19 HOMEBOUND VACCINATION SCHEDULE						
DATE	TIME	VACCINE MAKE	LOCATION			
Monday, Mar. 15	8 a.m 5 p.m.	Moderna (Dose 2) Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 2)	Inarajan, Merizo, Dededo, Agat, Sinajana, Chalan Pago, MTM, Anigua, Guma Trankilidat			

Tuesday, Mar. 16	9 a.m 3 p.m.	Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 2)	Mangilao, Dededo, GHURA 82 Dededo, Yigo
Wednesday, Mar. 17	8 a.m 5 p.m.	Moderna (Dose 2) Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 2)	Dededo, Yona
Thursday, Mar. 18	8 a.m 5 p.m.	Moderna (Dose 2)	Global Dorm, Guma San Jose, Alee Shelter, Mongmong-Toto-Maite, Talofofo, Dededo

# Village-Based COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics Scheduled for March 15, 16 & 19

DPHSS, in partnership with MCOG, and the Guam Department of Education, continues village-based COVID-19 vaccination clinics on Monday, March 15 at the Inarajan Mayor's Office; Tuesday, March 16 at the Mangilao Senior Center; and Friday, March 19 at the Agat Gym. Village-based clinic hours are scheduled from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m or while supplies last. Patients who are due for their second dose will be prioritized. Please bring a photo ID and COVID-19 immunization card. Although walk-ins are accepted, eligible village residents are encouraged to register with their respective mayor's office.

VILLAGE-BASED COVID-19 VACCINATION SCHEDULE							
DATE	TIME	VACCINE MAKE	LOCATION				
Monday, March 15		Pfizer-BioNTech Dose 2 Limited to 124 doses	Inarajan Mayor's Office				
Tuesday, Mar. 16	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Pfizer-BioNTech Dose 2 Limited to 100 doses	Mangilao Senior Center				
Friday, Mar. 19		Pfizer-BioNTech Dose 2 Limited to 100 doses	Agat Gym				

PHASE 1a/1b/1c – CATEGORY: Healthcare workers; local and federal law enforcement personnel; School-based employees and Childcare Center employees; adults 50 years and older (effective March 15, 2021); Mayors' Council of Guam (limited to mayors, vice mayors, and mayoral staff); funeral homes, mortuary, and cemetery staff; service providers contracted with the DPHSS Division of Senior Citizens providing direct patient or client care such as transportation for medical appointments, homebound meals, in-home services, caregiver services, case management, shelter care, adult daycare, and other direct services; and others who are due for dose two of the vaccine. Upon arrival, individuals 70 years and older will be sent to the front of the line.

### One GDOE Employee Tests Positive for COVID-19

On Friday, March 12, the Guam Department of Education (GDOE) confirmed one case in which an individual tested positive for COVID-19. The individual has been identified as a face-to-face student attending Harry S. Truman Elementary School. GDOE, in collaboration with DPHSS, has identified and notified the individuals who were in close contact with this individual. This individual will remain in quarantine until cleared by DPHSS to return to school. Areas of the school campus have been cleaned and disinfected. Regulars hours of operations will resume on Monday, March 15, 2021.

### **GBHWC Crisis Hotline**

The Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center (GBHWC) has a Crisis Hotline available 24/7 at (671) 647-8833/4. For those feeling anxious, stressed, overwhelmed or are needing to talk to someone, GBHWC has experienced providers available and ready to assist the community with any heightened stress and anxiety experienced as a result of COVID-19.

For the latest information on COVID-19, visit <u>dphss.guam.gov</u> or <u>guamrecovery.com</u>. For inquiries on COVID-19, contact 311 through a local number, or call the Joint Information Center at (671) 478-0208/09/10.

-###-